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A WRITER describes Kodiak Island,
Alaska, as larger than either of the
New England states, with a general
climate capable of producing many varieties
of fruit.

A Boston scientist declares that only
the microscope can discover the differ-
ence between a diamond and a piece of
glass. Both are made of carbon.

The dust collected by a small party
of snow between November 27 and
December 25 last indicates that one thou-
sand tons of dust settle monthly on the
one hundred and ten square miles of
London.

A SCHEM to be proposed for building a
railway to run over the tops of the
houses in New York City. The principal
material used in the manufacture of
that road will be supplied by a power-
ful imagination.

One of the streets of Palermo is
named after President Lincoln. This
was done by order of the Marquis di
Roberto, a member of the Italian nobility,
who was mayor of Palermo at the time of
Lincoln's assassination.

A doctor in New York has discovered
that carelessness in his practice is
not excusable because he did not expect
to get his pay. The court held him
guilty of malpractice just the same.

A BOSTONIAN editor is in trouble
from having published the following:
"Miss Jones, who came here before
the war, is still the prettiest of her
kind." He found it difficult to con-
vince the lady that he meant no reference
to her age.

WILLIAM M. ROBERTS, of Liberty,
Mo., obtained an angel marriage
last December, when Edward Williams
stopped at his house, asked for shelter
and was given a home. He died the
other night without relatives, leaving
Roberts a miserably rich man.

The Fall Mall Gazette tells of a doctor
on a man-of-war who had a very
simple method of treatment. He would
take a piece of tape around the waist of
the patient, and then he would tell him
to state whether the pain existed above
or below the tape. If above, an
emetic, and if below, a dose of salts
followed as a matter of course.

The centennial celebration of the
patent system in Washington recently
was an event of great interest. In-
formation was given of the history of
the system, and the plans for the
celebration were discussed.

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Epitome of the Week.
INTERESTING NEWS COMPILATION.
FROM WASHINGTON.

SECRETARY BLAINE'S reply to the
Italian government on the subject of the
New Orleans massacre on March 14
was made public. Mr. Blaine says
aliens can claim nothing from a govern-
ment which it does not afford to its
own citizens, but says that, under cer-
tain conditions, congress may be asked
to help the widows of the men killed.

The secretary quoted Daniel Webster to
sustain the position taken by the United
States.

The wife of E. W. Halford, the presi-
dent secretary, died in Washington,
about 40 years.

DRUGS. March exports of breadstuffs
were \$12,282,120, against \$15,772,229 the
same month last year. Exports of beef,
hog and dairy products were \$12,282,120,
against \$10,553,633 during the same
month of 1890.

A CENSUS has been issued by the
census bureau showing the population of
the cities in the country containing 8,000
inhabitants or more. The total urban
population in 1890 was 18,235,620, or
23.3 per cent. of the total population.

In the urban population was 11,
\$12,282,120, or 23.3 per cent. of the whole.

A TWO DOLLAR counterfeit silver cer-
tificate was received at the treasury
department of the series of 1890, check-
ed by the treasury.

THE BUSINESS failures in the United
States during the seven days ended on
the 17th numbered 251 against 243 the
preceding week, and 214 for the corre-
sponding week last year.

THE EXCHANGES at the leading clear-
ing-houses in the United States during
the week ended on the 18th aggregated
\$1,112,720,200, against \$1,079,920,000 the
previous week. As compared with the
corresponding week of 1890 the decrease
amounted to 0.3.

THE WASHINGTON Star Admiral Alfred
Taylor, on the retired list of the United
States navy, died of pneumonia in his
81st year.

FOR the month of March the receipts
from internal revenue amounted to \$1,
\$27,730, as follows: Spirits, \$6,943,572;
tobacco, \$2,482,773; fermented liquors,
\$1,927,184; oil, \$1,000,000; miscellane-
ous, \$45,542.

THE EAST.
In Boston the twenty-sixth anniver-
sary of the destruction of the Boston
and the thirty-seventh anniversary of
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for the Eleventh district, which includes
Michigan, Illinois and Wisconsin, has
gone on duty.

WALKER BROWN (colored) was
hanged at Launceston, N. C., for the murder
of Noah Hanna, last November; William
Green (colored) was executed at
New Orleans for the murder of Joseph
Pope on January 6, 1890, and George
and Fred Dunaway (Indians) were
hanged at Albuquerque, N. M., for the
murder last September of Wash Lee, a
Cherokee.

The famous case of Mrs. Myra Clark
Guinn against the city of New Orleans
has been compromised and her heirs
receive \$500,000 in the settlement.

GEORGE HARRY, a boy, and Mrs.
Ollie Sells were drowned by the cap-
sizing of a boat in the canal at Brighton
Beach, Ind.

THOMAS DUNSON and Charles Cole-
fax, both living near Crawfordville,
Ind., committed suicide.

The American baseball association
the percentages of the clubs for the
week ended on the 18th were: Boston,
274; Louisville, 200; St. Louis, 169;
Baltimore, 120; Washington, 128; Cin-
cinnatus, 125; Cincinnati, 120; Athletic,
125.

AT Sioux Falls, S. D., Mrs. Frank R.
Hyde killed her two children and then
took her own life. She left a note
saying she feared they were growing
insane.

The death of Alanson Sweet, the last
of the twelve men who founded Cattle
Ranch, was announced. He was 87 years
old. All three took refuge under a
tree, where they had remained but a
few minutes when the tree was struck
by lightning.

Hoffman, who was leaning
against the tree, and his son, who was
instantly killed, Ferguson, who had
his arm on Hoffman's shoulder, was
knocked senseless and fell on his face
in a pool of water. Stinson was para-
lyzed.

A FIRE at Little Rock, Ark., destroyed
the wholesale dry goods house of Gus
Bliss & Co. and the stores of B. Levin-
son, wholesale liquor, and A. Kuttner,
groceries.

EDWARD KELLY, Thomas Kennedy and
John Mahoney were killed by an ex-
plosion in a silver mine near Aspen,
Col.

SIX men were drowned in Laurel
creek, near Addison, W. Va.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.
Is a large tonnage of goods were
lost off the coast of Japan and sixty
lives were lost.

CHINA was raging in Siam, there
being an average of forty deaths daily.

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MISSOURI STATE NEWS.
Do You Deal in Tobacco?

Although much has been written for
the benefit of dealers in and manufac-
turers of tobacco, it seems there are
still a great many persons who are not
yet aware that the last congress en-
acted a law which provides that on and
after May 1 all special taxes heretofore
required from dealers and manufac-
turers of tobacco and cigars are re-
pealed. Every dealer in leaf tobacco,
retail dealers in leaf tobacco, manufac-
turers of cigars and peddlers of tobacco,
however, are required by law to regis-
ter with the collector of internal reve-
nue for the district in which he resides,
his name, style of firm, place of resi-
dence, trade or business, and the loca-
tion of the same. Dealers in manufac-
tured tobacco and cigars do not come
under the list of those required to regis-
ter, and are thereby released from the
burden of the law.

At 8:00 o'clock the president was ser-
viced by Volz's band. When this
was over, the president had a formal re-
ception on the porch of the hotel, and
the hotel, and when the hand-shaking
was concluded, Gen. T. N. Waid deliv-
ered an eloquent address of welcome
on the part of the city, to which the
president responded as follows:

My fellow citizens: We close to-night
a whole week of hard shaking, a whole
week of talking. I have before me thou-
sands of men, and I have heard of the
hand-shaking and the talking, and I
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